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Generation of Antibodies and Other Binding Agents

## AMENDMENT in response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of April 13, 2009. To make the Amendment compliant, status identifiers have been added to new Claims 187 and 188.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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